THE AIR DISASTER.

Inquest on the Victims To-Day.

CAUSE OF THE ACCIDENT.

The inquest on Lieut. Hale, of Hitchin, on Captain Patrick Hamilton, late of the Connaught Rangers, and Lieut. Waghorn, Reserve Squadron of the Royal Artillery, both of the Royal Flying Corps, who were killed in a machine accident at Salisbury on Thursday afternoon.

Major Brooke Popham, Royal Flying Corps, said three aeroplanes started from Wallingford yesterday in formation with Mr. Hitchin distrist, Captain Hamilton piloted and Lieut. Stinet was the observer in a Deperdussin monoplane. The machine was a good one, and was second prize in the Army test at Hendon.

It had been in worse weather than prevailed yesterday, which was not bad for flying. The wind was steady at a high altitude, but stronger lower down. He believed that the disaster was due to an accident to the engine and rod connecting the engine with the valves. The latter becoming disconnected and twisting round with the engine in operation. A portion of the engine was probably torn out and the struts smashed, causing the wings to collapse. The machine was practically abandoning.

Mr. W. C. Brett spoke to seeing the machine wobble, dip, and dive to the ground from 300 feet. Witness, who was Mr. Asbury, a motorist, spoke to hearing a loud report.

A representative of the Deperdussin Company said an examination of the engine showed that the accident was primarily due to part of the engine breaking, striking the bonnet, and smashing the fuel pipe. He would cause a report and the wings would double up.

Medical evidence showed that the deceased had sustained terrible injuries.

A verdict of "Accidental death" was returned, the jury expressing sympathy with the relatives.

ARMY MANŒUVRES.

AN AMUSING ANTI-CLIMAX.

Some exceedingly interesting night operations of the 3rd division of the Salisbury field were spoiled just before dawn on Friday by the mistake of a single man.

Towards one o'clock the Brown Army moved out to attack the position of the Greenwedds its way in the darkness in two columns, the seventh Brigade, under Major-General Drummond, approaching via Whiteoak, whilst Brigadier-General Doran took the Eighth Brigade straight for the front. Hill, his intention being to turn the left of the defence. Some excellent cover manœuvre work had, however, been carried out in the darkness by officers patrols, and brought back splendid evidence of the disposition of the White Army; and about 4 miles for two, that I would not go out again this year."

THE INSURANCE ACT.

"What are you doing about the Insurance Act?" the "Echo" representative asked a well-known farmer from Earl's Haddon neighbourhood.

"I am not doing it yet," he replied. "I've not stamped a single card and none of my men so far as I know have done it either."

"What shall you do?"

"Wait and see," he said. "Do," he said. "Why we shall pay when they come and ask for it. We know we shall have to pay, but we are going to fight and hold out."

He went on: "The Act is the law of the land and we always do as well as most other rates and taxes when they are wanted. So we shall pay, but we shall fight."

"You are not prepared to be an active resister then?" the "Echo" man put to him.

"No fear," he said. "I'm not resisting now. When they come on me I shall plead ignorance and say I've never read the Act, but the money will be there."

He expressed the opinion that is the position of a County Councillor it was foolish enough to think active resistance to an Act of Parliament will avail anything, but as they say, they are not going out of their way to get into trouble.

"When the inspectors begin to come round," he said, "they'll find a farmer said, 'we shall pay up like a shot.'"

NEW CORN ON OFFER.

There was a fair amount of newly-threshed wheat offered on the market this morning, and the contents of the mysterious little bags which farmers carry frequently saw the light of day. Dealers did not seem amazing to buy, feeling the merits of them said, "Bigger em, they all want top price. They think it comes with every last year's corn."

Most of the samples were of indifferent character. Much of the grain had a weather-beat appearance; in some samples little harder progression was noticeable, which is the farmers' way of saying it had begun to shoot in the ear.

In the course of a chat, Mr. E. M. Nunneley, Mr. Geo. Neal, Mr. Thos. Harper (councillor Joe F. Logan), Councillor Lards, and Councillor Bailey, Weedon, were all "confab" near to the sheep pens for quite a long time. They wondered many of them if the presence in the market of those members of the governing body responsible for favourable consideration of the Farmers' Union demand for more favourable charges.

THE MARKET SQUARE.

Fine mackerel were selling this morning on the Market square at four for sixpence.

There was again a plentiful supply of fruit, apples and pears being in abundance at a penny per pound. The quality was fine, and the feeling on the fact that he was selling all named varieties. "There you are," he said, "Bramley's, Early Peasgoods, Pippins, Worcester Pearmain. All the lot. Good for the alphabet, all from A to Z, penny a pound." They were fine apples, too, at the price.

NORTHAMPTON DIVISIONAL PETTY SESSIONS.

Saturday.—Before Sir Herwald Wake, Bart., (in the chair), Col. A. F. Mullaney, and Mr. G. Gotch.

THE DOG AND THE FOWL.

William Paynter, jun., labourer, Roade was charged with killing a fowl, value 2s. 6d., the property of Agnes Hume-Dewhurst, at Roade, on July 29th.—Mrs. Dewhurst said she had 21 fowls on August 2nd, and in the evening only 20 could be found.

—Emma Smith, domestic servant, said she saw the defendant's dog kill the fowl.—The defendant put his bicycle against the wall and went into the field. He had his dog with him, and it under his coat.—P.C. Darby said on the 29th defendant first denied all knowledge of the fowl, and said that his dog did kill the fowl. He fetched it but said subsequently that it was not his dog. Witness found no trace of the fowl in the parish referred to. Defendant said he had thrown away the fowl on the 30th.—Defendant said he had several fowls killed by dogs in the village. Several people kept fowls in the neighbourhood, and he had lost about 20 fowl it was. He could not help the dog killing it. He took the fowl away because he did not want to get into any fuss.—Fined 5s., on promising to pay the 2s. 6d. to Mrs. Humphrey.

AN EVENING AT BRIXWORTH.

Isaac Marlow, labourer, Harry Phillips, shoemaker, and Harry John Phillips, butcher Guilford, and Albert Guilford, farmers, all of Rushwell, were summoned for using bad language at Brixworth on the evening of August 17th.—The case, at the request of the defendants, were taken separately.—P.C. Bailey and Joseph Hollands gave evidence.—Harry Brown, speaking on behalf of Harry Phillips, said Defendants was not present.—Phillips gave evidence on oath, and the defendant Marlow was called by Phillips.—He denied that Phillips used bad language or wanted to fight.—In the case of Harry John Phillips the defendant said he went to get Walter Guilford away from the disturbance. He denied that he used bad language.—All were complained of.—P.C. Bailey said Walter Guilford was at the bottom of the whole affair.—George Matthews, Pitsford, supported the constable's evidence.—The case against the two Phillips and Albert Guilford were dismissed. Marlow was fined £1 inclusive or 14 days, and Walter Guilford £1 and 11s. costs, or 14 days.

TRADE RETURNS.

MORE ENORMOUS INCREASES.

The Board of Trade returns show that the imports for August amounted to £59,666,976, against £56,546,959 in the same month of last year, an increase of £3,120,017. The exports were £43,779,721, against £36,382,700, an increase of £7,396,021.

TOWN AND DISTRICT

Weddings, Wednesday, 6th, 1911, 1911, 1911, and Saturday, 9th, 1911. Notice and Address, 1911, the Despatch.

Smart Princess Bloss, Q11.—J. Jolley, Wood-street.

Kingham's Rolled Tongue, 2/1, 2/6, 2/6, 2/11.

James' Bros.' Gold Medal Teas, finest quality.

Lighting-up Time, 7.34.

PLEASE NOTE!

A letter just received from the proprietress of a Yarmouth house is of practical interest. She writes: "Last year Mr. and Mrs. G. Ryder, of 9, King-street, Great Yarmouth, let this same house, and once again the advertisement in the "Northampton Daily Echo" signed and sealed the agreement. Mrs. Ryder says:—

"I must thank you very much for your kindness in inserting my advertisement in your valuable paper. It has been very successful in bringing me visitors, and they have all gone away quite satisfied. I have had people from all parts of Northamptonshire. Please cancel the advertisement for another six insertions, for which I enclose 1s. 6d. postal order. I shall make full use of your valuable paper again next year."

This people who take rooms at the seaside and give satisfaction to the proprietors of apartments houses are people whom Press men will find it to their advantage to cultivate. And the above letter shows that "Northampton Daily Echo" is in touch with them day by day. Tradesmen please note!

SINGULAR CYCLING MISHAP.

RAUNDS SCHOOLMASTER'S NARROW ESCAPE.

Mr. L. G. H. Lee, Schoolmaster of Raunds, met with a singular accident on Friday afternoon. It appears that he was going from Chelveston towards Higham Ferrers on his motor cycle, when he met Mr. A. Mantle, of Ruskden, who was riding a bicycle. Mr. Lee sounded his hand as he was passing Mr. Mantle, and a quick cyclist, who was behind the latter thinking he was going to stop, was trying to avoid him and got on front of Mr. Lee. The result was disastrous to the machines, both of which were badly damaged, but fortunately the riders escaped with a few minor cuts and bruises.

FOUND DEAD IN THE KITCHEN.

NORTHAMPTON INQUEST THIS MORNING.

The Northampton Borough Coroner (Mr. A. J. Darnell) held an inquiry at the Town Hall this morning touching into the circumstances surrounding the death of Rosina Harriet Hucklebird, a domestic housekeeper, aged 70 years, of 36, Harelwood-road, Northampton.

Miss Jane Henrietta Buckfield, with whom the deceased lived, said she had been subject to fits, but had been much better during the past few months. She left her apparently as usual at half-past five on Thursday afternoon. That was the last witness saw her alive. At a quarter past six she found her lying on the kitchen floor, unconscious, bleeding and bleeding from the nose. A doctor who was sent for made an examination, and found that she was dead. There was furniture near, but not such as she might have fallen on.

Dr. E. A. Milligan, who made a post-mortem, said he found the deceased had the kidneys diseased. Death was due to apoplexy.

A verdict in accordance with the medical evidence was returned, the jury expressing sympathy with the relatives.

YOUNG PROGRESSIVES.

TEA AND CONCERT AT THE LIBERAL CLUB.

Yesterday (Saturday) the Northampton Young Progressives held a bowling tea, concert and dance at the Liberal Club.

The tea was provided in the garden party at Sunnyside, Colwyn-road, but the unsettled weather of the last few days made it wise, the committee thought, to hold the concert indoors.

A second disappointment was the indisposition of Mr. H. Bailey, who was to be present, as it was hoped he would be. He is at present in Ireland, and sent a telegram to say that he was ill.

The arrangements for the tea had been admirably made by the Misses Bailey, Ladies' Association (Miss Forbes), Central Secretary, Mrs. Mrs. Bailey, Miss Cross, O'Hara, Partridge, Smith, Osborne, E. Hedges, Mr. Bailey, and Mr. Kitchener (the secretary).

The concert for to-night has been arranged by Mr. Tonks and Mr. T. Collins will be M.C. for the dance.

LATEST MARKETS.

CORN.

Northampton, Sept. 7.—There were a few samples of new corn on offer and in every case the quality was very variable, rather inferior to very fair. The new wheat realised from 30s. to 34s. delivered in the mill. New oats realised from 22s. to 25s., and new barley from 28s. to 30s.

Liverpool, Sept. 7.—Wheat on spot steady but without change. Futures closed easier. Latest October delivery is, 6½d. per cental. Corn spot quiet. Futures are nominally unchanged. Maize being in short supply, prices firm. Flour firm, but without quotations without change and steady.

Mincing Lane.—Demand is arriving in very damaged condition, good sample being scarce, prices irregular. Arrivals from the Plate, 8,000 qrs.; other sorts of three months' forward shipment, especially Indian, 2,000 qrs. Cargoes on the spot without change. New oats scarce, and prices irregular, and from 2s. to 3s. cheaper. Maize declined 6d. per quarter. New barley 1s. per quarter cheaper.

CATTLE.

Northampton, Sept. 7.—Trade about the average, with no marked difference from last Saturday. Sheep were, if anything, a little better. Cows sold well, owing to short supply. Store stock was about the same as last week. Best beasts, 42s. to 43s.; second, 38s. to 40s.; calves 28s. to 40s. Numbers in market: Beasts, 441; sheep, 1,691; calves, 70; horses, 60; loads of hay and straw, 6.

Doncaster, Sept. 7.—In the absence of Irish cattle the market was thinly supplied and quite firm for all best prime cattle, unchanged. Milk beast dearer, and up to £28, bullocks £22 to £26 10s., stores £2 to £6. Sheep very quiet, 2s. to 3s. off all round. Lambs 30s. to 32s. each. Better supply of pigs, and quite steady at late rates.

DEAD MEAT.

London, Sept. 7.—Trade closed quietly and prices are well maintained for beef. English beef, 3s. 4d. to 4s. per stone; 2nd, 6d. to 6s. 10d.; sheets, 5s. to 5s. 4d.; extreme 5s. 8d.; Scotch, 3s. 10d. to 4s. 2d.; Irish, 3s. 10d. to 4s. 4d.; Argentine chilled hindquarters 2s. 8d. to 3s.; forequarters 2s. 1d. to 2s. 2d.; mutton, 4s. 6d. to 5s. 4d.; veal, 4s. to 5s., ditto top 4s. 4d. to 5s.; ditto ones 3s. to 3s. 4d.; lambs, 4s. 6d. to 5s. 4d.; pork, 4s. to 4s. 6d.; ewes, 3s. to 3s. 6d.; Dutch 4s. 6d. to 5s. per lb.; Danish 4s. 6d. to 5s. per lb.

London, Sept. 7.—Sugar: Home refined unchanged; best quality granulated, £20 10s. Colonial refined unchanged. November-December sellers 19s. 0½d.; May sold 19s. 3d. Coffee fairly active and unchanged. September sellers, 68s.; March sold 68s. 9d.; May sellers 69s. 6d. Cocoa firm and unchanged. Tea: Indian, 10d. to 1s. 2d.; Ceylon, 1s. 1d. to 1s. 3d.; China, 2s. 6d. to 2s. 9d.; Javanese, 10d. to 2s. 8d.

PROVISIONS.

Northampton, Sept. 7.—Market-square prices: Butter 2s. 2d. per lb., 1s. per pound; eggs 1s. 2d. per doz. lb. Large, 1s. 3d. per doz. lb. Cheese, 1s. 2d. per lb.

HAY.

London, Sept. 7.—Trade good: Best clover 107s. 6d. to 127s. 6d.; inferior 80s. to 90s.; specially picked 130s. to 140s.; good 105s. to 115s.; inferior 80s. to 100s.; mixture and sanfoin 100s. to 125s. 6d.; and straw 30s. to 43s. per load.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LEAGUE.—FINAL

Unitarians 34 all out. J. S. Garnett took 2 wickets for 6 runs, W. Thomason 5 for 16, and W. Jeffery 3 for 11.

2 Doddridge Memorial 35 for two. Won by 8 wickets. J. S. Garnett not out 26.

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Three Oxford students have reached Norvik, in Norway, from the North Cape in a cutter with auxiliary motor.

FOOTBALL.

TO-DAY'S PLAY.

Southern League.

DOCCLERS V. GILLINGHAM.

THE FIRST HOME MATCH.

Gillingham met Northampton on the County Ground to-day practically at full strength, for the first home match of the season the Cobblers had to take the field without Campion, who was hurt at the Dell on Wednesday. Tull took his place and made a great goalkeeper in a hard game. It was Manager Bull would be turning out his team for the first time in the South-Eastern League side at Peterborough.

Gillingham included five new men in their side, Bell and Bayliss replacing Hall, (Leyton), Wolstenholme (Blackpool), Halbert (Southampton), Lloyd (Barrow), and Caldwell (West Ham). Teams:—

NORTHAMPTON.

Thorpe

Clipston Davies
Manning Tull Tomkies
Walden King Lessons Lewis Freeman

O

Caldwell Wolstenholme Court Halbert Goffin
Johnson Bell Mahon
Logan Mosley
Bailey

GILLINGHAM.

Referee: Mr. J. W. Bailey (Leicester).

There were fully 2,000 at the play, the country having responded gallantly. From Gillingham came a considerable body in full run, and for once a band was on the ground to enliven the scene.

THE GAME.

Gillingham started, and prodding by an error they were a goal to the good in the first minute. The ball went to their outside right, who, having an open centre course, let fall to the feet of Clipston, who rushed to "pop it," leaving WOLSTENHOLME with a clear field, and he bopped it into the net. A really-placed shot.

It was an inspiriting start, but the Cobblers' forward line responded finely, and in the next two minutes the visiting goal had a couple of narrow escapes. From Walden's centre Lewis let Freeman have a go, but the man was offside, and from the free kick which was returned by King, Lessons, with his head, put the ball just over the bar.

Gillingham played fast and active foot-ball, their half line for a short time being particularly aggressive. Court was just on the point to up a centre from the left, and then Freeman, who had speculated on the centre was too far behind the hard line for use.

But it led indirectly to an equalising goal. Court, who was playing a fine left-wing kick, which landed the ball in the centre of the field, and Lewis, who got the ball and, dropping it, there was a terrific scrimmage, and Lessons, who was standing close to the goalkeeper's assistance, headed the ball just partially over the line before Lewis touched it could get there, but the referee signalled a goal in spite of the claims of the visiting defence.

All was not yet well with the Cobblers, however, for a few flash by Goffin and his partner ended in Halbert getting in a hard kick to goal, which Tull fisted away and cleared. The visitors forced a corner kick before that was completely relieved.

It was the instinctive inter-passing of Bell which saved Gillingham anxiety from first work by Lewis and Freeman. The wing had a centre at command, but Wolstenholme Bell had divined his intention. Again the Cobblers came, and this time Lessons made a shot from the left wing, which Halbert turned to the goal, but Tull was equal to the occasion.

The Cobblers' extreme wing men were playing magnificently, and had not the visiting defence concentrated on the inside forwards, Northampton would have had a merry time. As it was, many excellent centres from the left wing, passing among them came a great dash by Lewis, but Halbert was always there to intervene at best King by the fraction of a second.

The Cobblers were not supreme in the defence, but there could be no question the superiority of their forward line. Occasional flashes by the visiting forward line were distinctly dangerous, and Goffin again showed his worth as a back, and shot which Thorpe kicked away.

Brilliant work by Walden, the best three men, led to one of the most exciting episodes of the game. The centre was taken by Lewis, who was fouled just outside the penalty line. A free kick was given and taken, but the second time a rare scuffle ensued, and the ball was finally headed on to the cross-bar, and Mahon headed it down, and Lessons headed it again. This time Lewis was in a scoring position, but the man was fouled by the best prowess of mind to touch it towards Freeman. The outside left let fly a straight drive, but Bailey saved splendidly.

Gillingham paid several visits towards Thorpe. The most dangerous of them was when Lessons put another splendid centre across which fell in front of Wolstenholme. The latter had a good shot at goal, and had a chance. Thorpe ran out, knocked the ball away, and cleared his lines.

There were several other bright incidents in a rather fast game, and at half-time Northampton were for the most part top of the visitors' territory, and were entitled to a fair lead.

Gillingham 1
Northampton 2

Inquiries in the Cobblers' dressing-room during the interval led to the statement that Lessons' shot which led to Gillingham's goal was obtained was not touched by Lewis, but was headed down by the latter over the line.

Gillingham had at it again directly the game was restarted, for in the first minute a shot from his foot missed the post by a few inches. Northampton got the better team very quickly, Logan conceding the corner kick, which was taken by Lewis, in which Lessons' head had figured promptly, but the ball flew over the bar. Logan was a fierce tussle in front of Bailey, ending in the latter's hands going for some infringement.

Lessons was the master of the Cobblers' forward line, and, tricking Logan, he put a ripping centre which Lessons flashed into the net. Gillingham's defence was in a sad full length, brought out the finest save of the match.

Walden was much too good for Logan, and ran down the wing and centred, the ball just over, and in the next minute Freeman, who had been playing a fine game, should have got so irritated with Walden's elusiveness that he used his weight on every possible occasion.

For a period Gillingham threatened danger, but Logan, Bell, and Bayliss (Darvies were actively engaged. Two free kicks in a row were given against Gillingham and from this Wolstenholme headed heavily through to Tull, who had to fist out, but had a chance that is given to few men. A long kick from Bell sent the ball to Thorpe to beat. The goalkeeper did the right thing in coming out, and Caldwell, getting first, put paid to it.

It was wretched luck for Northampton when a centre by Lewis left Manning in such a glorious chance, but the referee's whistle had gone at the linesman's signal, and after a consultation there was a throw up on the centre spot. Lessons was stopped by Mosley, but Tomkies, picking up a chance, let drive, and Bailey saved securely.

With a quarter of an hour to go Lessons and Tull exchanged places, Thorpe taking from a throw-in in the Cobblers' half. Clipston kicked forward for Freeman to dash away. The winger planned down for Lewis to dash on. He looked to be offside, but he was allowed to proceed and, drawing Bailey, he placed neatly into the empty net.

There was another inquisitive period over-lap Tomkies trying another centre which was just wide; and then Caldwell came near with a fine cross-shot which grazed the post. But as the winger had already been given offside it did not matter much. Tull and Lessons now resumed their former positions, but there was no more scoring, and the end came:—

NORTHAMPTON 2
Gillingham 1

OTHER GAMES.

Interval: Plymouth 3, Bristol Rovers 0.
Interval: Queen's Park 1, Norwich 0.
Interval: Brentford 0, Reading 0.
Interval: Exeter 1, Watford 0.
Interval: Millwall 0, Southampton 0.
Interval: Brighton 0, Coventry 0.
Interval: Cardiff 1, Port Vale 0.
Interval: Swindon 1, Crystal Palace 0.
Interval: Portsmouth 0, Merthyr 0.
Final: COVENTRY 2, West Ham 1.
Final: PLYMOUTH 3, Bristol Rovers 1.
Final: EXETER 1, Watford 0.
Final: BRIGHTON 2, Stoke 0.
Final: SWINDON 1, Crystal Palace 0.
Final: MILLWALL 4, Southampton 0.
Final: PORTSMOUTH 3, MERTHYR 0.
Final: QUEEN'S PARK 1, Norwich 0.

SOUTH-EASTERN LEAGUE.

PETERBOROUGH CITY v. COBBLERS' RESERVES.

The Cobblers' Reserves had a strong side out at Peterborough to-day. Last season the Cobblers were successful in the game at the Cathedral City on Christmas Day by 5—0, but the Cobblers team at present is not the Reserves to-day included Manager Bull and Bayliss in the half back line, but were without Tull, who was assisting the Southern League side. Tebbutt was at centre forward, Allen not having recovered from an injury received in the Tottenham match. The City fielded a useful side, and a keen game was expected. Teams:—

NORTHAMPTON RESERVES.

Newman

Ball Wykes
Bull Langham Rawlings
Harris Rellhead Tebbutt Smith Hughes

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Wheeler Raynor Allen Pennifer Rider
(C Cowan French Rose
Elson Piggin
Turrell

PETERBOROUGH CITY.

Half-time score:

Peterborough 2
Northam; on Reserves 0
Pettifer and A.—o scored.

ENGLISH LEAGUE.—DIVISION 1.

Interval: Derby 1, County 1, Blackburn 1.
Interval: Newcastle 2, Sunderland 0.
Interval: West Bromwich 1, Notts C. 0.
Interval: Aston Villa 1, Manchester City 1.
Interval: Bolton 1, Chelsea 0.
Interval: Liverpool 2, Oldham 0.
Interval: Manchester C. 1, Manchester U. 0
Interval: Middlesbro' 2, Everton 0.
Interval: Sheffield United 1, Oldham 0.
Interval: Tottenham 0, Sheffield Wed. 0.
Final: DERBY 3, BLACKBURN 1.
Final: MIDDLESBRO' 0, EVERTON 0.
Final: NEWCASTLE 3, SUNDERLAND 1.
Final: NOTTS C. 1, WEST BROM. 1.
Final: ASTON VILLA 2, MANCHESTER C. 1.
Final: SHEFFIELD W. 4, Tottenham 2.
Final: LIVERPOOL 3, Norwich A. 0.
Final: BOLTON 1, Chelsea 0.

ENGLISH LEAGUE.—DIVISION 2.

Interval: Stockport 1, Lincoln 1.
Interval: Bristol City 1, Wolverhampton 0.
Interval: Hull City 1, Blackpool 1.
Interval: Hull City 1, Blackpool 1.
Interval: Glossop 1, Bradford Forest 0.
Interval: Preston N.E. 0, Clapton O. 0.
Interval: Barnsley 1, Huddersfield 0.
Interval: Bradford 0, Birmingham 0.
Interval: Bradford 0, Leeds City 0.
Interval: Burry 2, Grimsby 1.
Final: FULHAM 4, Leeds 0.
Final: BRADFORD C. v. BIRMINGHAM C.
Final: LEICESTER 3, Notts Forest 1.
Final: HULL 2, Blackpool 2.
Final: LINCOLN 4, Stockport 2.
Final: BURNLEY 3, Oldham 0.
Final: CLAPTON 1, Preston 0.
Final: BARNSLEY 2, Huddersfield 0.
Final: WOLVERHAMPTON 1, BRISTOL 1
Final: BARNSLEY 2, Huddersfield 0.

RUGBY.

THE SAINTS' TRIAL.

PROBABLES v. POSSIBLES.

The Northampton Rugby Club, as usual, opened their public performances with a trial game between the probables and possibles at Franklin's Gardens this afternoon. Each club put in a strong team, and the game was keenly contested.

At Franklin's Gardens this afternoon E. Bell, the probable captain of the side, led the Probables' side, which included most of those who may be expected to appear regularly in the Saints' ranks through the season. The Possibles were drawn from the Northampton Old Boys' Club, and included one or two men who have figured in the trial games before. The teams were:—

PROBABLES.	Full Backs.	POSSIBLES.
R Hincks		H Pendlebury
W Bridshaw	Three-quarter backs.	J Bott
W Wade (capt.)		W Wade
A Green		C Marsh
E Cook		J Cook
	Half-backs.	
R Gurney		H Robinson
A Hart		G Williamson
	Forwards.	
A G Ball		L E Fitzpatrick
E Bell		C Hall
C L A Berien		C Cotton
H Pettitt		J Kinkells
E W White		G Cox
F Tebbitt		H Burns
T Collins		S Gerdon
C Muldinan		D Gilbert
T Collins		H Cottingham
		W Townby

The Possibles played ten men.

Mr. W. Roberts (E.M.R.C.) was in charge of the game.

THE GAME.

The Possibles pressed at the start and forced a scrum, but Bell cleared, and the Possibles had to touch down. Mobbs took back a useful kick, and Green also rendered a promising passing movement for the Probables, but Wade failed to have tackled his pass to Mobbs went astray.

From a long pass just inside the Possibles' country, Bell dribbled up and, handing off a couple of opponents with his usual power, ran over for the first try of the season. Hives easily added the goal.

Following a burst away by the Probables' forwards, handicapped as they were by the possibles' 25, but his pass went forward. The Possibles' forwards were now on the ball in scrum regularly, and from a rush BURKE picked up and ran in. Hives again added the goal.

Gillam, the Olney man, was prominent in tackling. From a scrum he ran forward and, beating several men for pace, passed to Bell, who dribbled over for a third try behind the posts. The points were again added by Hives.

A penalty was given against the Probables for off-side play, and Hives, to whom was just failed at goal. Pettit was hurt in the collision during a run, but soon recovered.

From a scrum, resurrected, initiated by Cook, Mobbs received and ran for the BRADSHAW, who had no one to beat and ran in behind the posts. Hives failed to upright with the kick. Half-time arrived with the score:

Probables ..... 3 goals 1 try
Possibles ..... Nil

The Possibles attacked on the turn over, but Bell, Mobbs, and Gurney stopped the rushes passed to Gillam.

The Olney man scrambled off a couple of men, and running with great pace, went in for a try behind the posts. Hives failed to convert.

Within two minutes, after a forward scramble, MOBBS ran in a try, which was entirely unmarked, and, to the amusement of the crowd, Bell, Gurney, and Gillam, who had thrown the ball over the line, failed in carrying.

A scramble Green lost his knickers, and had to borrow Mr. Orton's mackintosh while waiting for a fresh pair.

Gillam was again prominent, taking a run of strength.

From a line-out the Possibles' backs got well going, and WILLIAMSON scored wide out. The place kick failed.

The vertue of play was soon changed, the Probables' forwards getting the ball and driving down in good style. The ball went over, and BULL, rushing up, scored a well-earned try.

A mistake by Hives let through the Possibles forwards, but a knock on spoiled an excellent chance.

The Possibles kept up the pressure, and after a scramble in the 25. ROBINSON picked up and scored a try.

The Possibles' three-quarters were well up when MORRIS intercepted, and, easily beating his man, scored another soft try. Hives failed to add. The game ended:

Probables ..... 9 points
Possibles ..... 6 points

Probables:—Five goals, two tries (5 points).
Possibles ..... One goal, one try (7 points).

Final: LEICESTER 13 pts, Headingley 0.
Plymouth v. Bridgwater Albion off.

LEATHER TRADES LEAGUE.

Beatock's 47 all out (H. Cox, B. R. Moore 10). F. Wright 3 for 8, B. Finney 3 for none.

Moccasin 35 for one (F. Wright 19).

Tron Form 30 (C. Wheeler 15). F. Fanes 3 for 14, F. Knight 2 for 12, and E. Green 3 for 3.

Washers 23 for 8 (F. Husband 13).

LATEST SPORTING.

MANCHESTER MEETING.

1.45.— MICHAELMAS PLATE of £500. Five furlongs, straight.

Mr. R. Combe's LA SOUFRIERE, 8-6 ..... Whalley 1
Sir J. Willoughby's JAMPANULA, 7-12 ..... Wilson 2
Mr. E. Hulton's QUEEN'S MAN, 8-10 ..... R. Robinson 3

Also ran; Double Six (Martin) and Victorious May (E. Stubbs).

Betting: 7 to 4 on Queen's Man, 9 to 2 La Soufriere, 5 to 1 Double Six, 100 to 7 SOUFRIERE, 33 to 1 Victoria May.

Won by five lengths; half a length between second and third.

Race started 1.36. Winner trained by H. Braime.

2.15.— EGLINTON SELLING NURSERY HANDICAP of £285. Five furlongs.

Mr. Kenworthy's RITALEEN, 7-7 ..... Whalley 1
Lord Villiers' CAMPANULA, 7-12 ..... Calder 2
Mr. H. Hartigan's DINGLE, 8-10 ..... Watson 3

Also ran: Fair Trade (Robbins), Tooro (Ringsted), Temperature (C. Hollins), and Melfortia (Bushby).

Betting: 15 to 8 aget Dingle, 3 to 1 Fair Trading, 5 to 1 Temperature, 7 to 1 RITALEEN, 100 to 8 others.

Won by three lengths; dead heat for second place.

Race started 2.18. Winner trained by Goswell.

3.0.—PRINCE EDWARD HANDICAP of 700 Sovs. Two miles.

Mr. C. B. Issmay's BALSCADDEN, 5-7-12 ..... Whalley 1
Mr. W. Singer's PAPAVERO, 5-7-4 ..... Bligg 2
Mr. W. Cliff's MYNORA, 5-6-0 ..... Ledson 3

Also ran: King Uther, Ascetic, Spare Rate (R. Watson), Topshop (Ringsted), Red Cloud, Sweet Nightcap (Bullock), Mr. St. Alban (Herbert), Wilfred (Robbins), Sir Gwain (Buckley).

Betting: 3 to 1 aget Wilfrid, 7 to 2 BALSCADDEN, 5 to 1 Papavero, 6 to 1 King Uther, 7 to 1 Mynora, 10 to 1 Accurate, 100 to 8 Red Cape, 25 to 1 each Topshop and Sweet Nightcap.

Topshop made the running from St. Alban, Sweet Nightcap, Red Cape, King William, Papavero, and Balscadden, with Accurate, the latter of whom, taking the lead before the distance, won easily by five lengths from Papavero and third. Accurate was fourth, and Topshop last.

Won by three lengths; dead heat for second place.

Race started 3.5. Winner trained by Robinson.

3.30.—SATURDAY SELLING WELTER HANDICAP. One mile.

Mr. J. Kenney's JACK POT, 4-8-12. ..... Whalley 1
Mr. H. Rhodes, CLIPTON HILL, 4-7-7 ..... Whaley 2
Mrs. Prentley's CHERISETTE, 4-7-7 ..... Buckley 3

Also ran: Purleigh (Maher), Sweet Briony (Rice), Bonnetty Bob (H. Watts).

Betting 2 to 1 aget Cherisette, 3 to 1 JACK POT, 4 to 1 Purleigh, 5 to 1 Clifton Hill and Bonnetty Bob, 10 to 1 Marsh Daisy.

Won by three-parts of a length; eight lengths between second and third.

Race started 3.33. Winner trained by Whalley.

4.0.—WILTON HANDICAP of £200. Five furlongs, straight.

Sir E. Cassel's BEETHOVEN, 4-7-12. ..... Robbins 1
Mr. S. Jost's POLYMELA, 3-7-7 ..... Robbins 2
Mr. J. Churchill's SEA FAIRY, 4-6-12. ..... Bligg 3

Also ran: Battle Axe (Maher), Miss Elsie (Fay), Formamint (P. Gray), Blarney Stone (Whalley), Mandy Lodge (Ledsham), Sir Percy (Buckley).

Betting: 2 to 1 aget BEETHOVEN, 4 to 1 each Sea Fairy and Blarney Stone, 6 to 1 Polymela, 10 to 1 Battle Axe, 100 to 8 others.

Won by four lengths; a head separating second and third.

Race started 4.4. Winner trained by W. Halsey.

4.30.— KERSAL THREE - YEAR - OLD MAIDEN PLATE of £200. Six furlongs.

Lord Farquhar's APRILLE, 9-4 (Robbins) 1
Mr. L. Jay's Hamilton's SOUTANE, 9-11 (R. Watts) 2
Mr. T. Ryan's 9-0 to 6 on APRILLE. 3

Won by three lengths.

Race started 4.32. Winner trained by G. Lambton.

KEMPTON PARK MEETING.

2.0.—HALLIFORD SALE PLATE of £200. Five furlongs. One mile. (Weather).

Mr. Nickalls's ST. FARE, 4-8-7. ..... L. Hewitt 1
Mr. R. Wootton's HIGHLAND, 3-7-10. ..... W. Huxley 2
Mr. W. Dawtrey's ADMIRAL BLUNT, 5-7-10 ..... G. McCall 3

Also ran: Farinaceous (W. Smith), Omega (Trigg), Dutch Courage (C. Barrett), Newsletter (L. Stevens), Fairy Belle (Bligg), Hayden (Wheatley), Peardiver (F. Rickaby), Countess Mac (J. Doyle), Sweet Lass (H. Jones), Gay Mistake, Orgeat, Sulphanse (F. Templeman), Wolf's Pride (S. Donoghue), Double Pass, Heroes, Miramichi, Priess.

Betting: 2 to 1 aget Dutch Courage, 5 to 1 each Highland and Countess Mac, 8 to 1 Farinaceous, 100 to 8 each Paderno, Admiral Bluny, and Sulphanse, 20 to 1 ST. FARE and others.

Won by a head; head between second and third.

Race started 2.5. Winner trained by Carter.

The winner was purchased by Mr. F. Bibby for 400gs.

2.30.—SEPTEMBER NURSERY HANDICAP of SILVER OAK. Six furlongs.

Mr. J. G. Wilson's CHEERFUL, 9-3 ..... W. Bligg 1
Mr. R. Dawson's OSELLE, 8-10 ..... W. Quinn 2
Lord Londale's ST. BLOGE, 9-0 ..... W. Higgs 3

Also ran: Dancing David (W. Huxley), Sodaka (Donoghue), Limetack (Piper), Cedarwell, Pamphysian, Fairdiver (F. Rickaby), Countess Mac (J. Doyle), Sweet Lass (H. Jones), Gay Mistake, Orgeat, Sulphanse (F. Templeman), Wolf's Pride (S. Donoghue), Double Pass, Heroes, Miramichi, Priess.

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